



# *Proclamation*

## *Presented to the*

### **Armed Forces Reserve Center**

**WHEREAS**, the Armed Forces Reserve Center located in Hilo, Hawai'i, houses and services the Hawai'i Army National Guard (HIARNG), United States Army Reserve (USAR), and the Hawai'i Office of Veteran Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Armed Forces Reserve Center provides critical training, education, administration, storage and maintenance facilities for the Hawaii National Guard and the United States Army Reserve; and

**WHEREAS**, the Armed Forces Reserve Center consolidates functions from Hawai'i Air National Guard's Honoka'a and Kea'au armories and the United States Army Reserve's Kuneida facility; and

**WHEREAS**, the Armed Forces Reserve Center is a new facility comprised of six buildings, totaling approximately 104,300 square feet and is situated on a 19-acre site within the Keaukaha Military Reservation; building and improvements include an Assembly Hall/Physical Fitness Building, an Administration/Unit Storage Building, a Classroom Building, a Lobby and Community Service Building, a State Maintenance Building, Vehicle Maintenance Building and Flammable Material Storage, privately-owned vehicle and military vehicle parking and a BBQ Shelter; and

**WHEREAS**, the Armed Forces Reserve Center observes the principles of energy conservation and efficiency; the Armed Forces Reserve Center achieved its goal of receiving adequate points to reach silver certification in Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED); and

**WHEREAS**, the Armed Forces Reserve Center will be dedicated on September 29, 2011;

**THEREFORE I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and I, BRIAN SCHATZ, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim September 29, 2011 as**

### **"ARMED FORCES RESERVE CENTER DAY"**

in Hawai'i and urge the people of the Aloha State to join us in commending all Armed Forces Personnel utilizing the Armed Forces Reserve Center best wishes with future endeavors.

**DONE** at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this twelfth day of September, 2011.

**NEIL ABERCROMBIE**  
Governor, State of Hawai'i

**BRIAN SCHATZ**  
Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i